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**WRITERS SOUGHT FOR THE SAN DIEGO PUBLIC LIBRARY'S
46th ANNUAL LOCAL AUTHOR EXHIBIT**
Call for Submissions Answered by Hundreds, Exhibit Brings Exposure to Local Talent

San Diego, CA... The San Diego Public Library is calling on San Diego county authors who have published books in 2011 to submit them to the 46th Annual Local Authors Exhibit. The aim of the Exhibit is to nurture writers, foster the pursuit of the writing arts and to create a great opportunity for the recognition of San Diego literary talents. The deadline for submitting books is Monday, December 12, 2011. Authors may register online at www.sandiegolibrary.org.

The 46th Annual Local Author Exhibit will run the entire month of February 2012 in the lobby of the Central Library, located downtown at 820 E Street, San Diego, CA 92101. Participants will be invited to attend a special exhibition preview and author's reception prior to the public unveiling. This year, for the first time in the Exhibition's history, publications will also be displayed in an online gallery, along with author photos and publishing information.

The San Diego Public Library has a long history of hosting special events for authors, including book discussions, writing workshops and author talks. Writers are able to interact directly with their readers as they share, sell and sign their books. "I am so impressed with the diversity and talent of local author that we have seen through the years," said San Diego Public Library Director Deborah Barrow. "It will be exciting to see what new and engaging ways authors have found in 2011 to express their creative talent. We are pleased this year to highlight their work online in a more prominent way. "

In addition to finding more information about the Local Authors Exhibit, including online registration, learn about other events at the San Diego Public Library's Central Library and 35 branches, find links to numerous additional resources, register or search for materials in the Library's catalog online at www.sandiegolibrary.org.

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